# Higgs self-coupling analysis with H→WW\*

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#### Shower profile - going on

- Start basic study
- Correct the fitting function and check the results

# dE/dx

Study starts @digitization step

- Check whether dE/dx is working at the simulation
  - Check whether Bethe-Bloch can be seen
- Check some dependence
- Check the result after the correction

#### dE/dx definition:

- $\frac{dE}{dx} = \frac{energy\ deposit}{flight\ path\ in\ the\ hit(TPC)}$
- dE/dx can be calculated at any hit point
- Truncated mean is calculated as track dE/dx

 $\left\langle \frac{dE}{dx} \right\rangle = \sum_{i}^{n} \frac{dE_{i}}{dx_{i}}$  upper 30%, lower 8% hits are discarded

to avoid Landau tail

 $\rightarrow$ optimization is necessary

# From digitization step

- dE/dx very clean Bethe-Bloch line can be seen!
  - Num. of hits used for dE/dx >=40
  - Simulation hit will be OK
  - dE/dx distribution using MIP pion (p=0.3-0.7GeV/c)
    - The distribution is Gaussian
    - Truncated mean is reasonable so far, but need optimize



Check the dependence • Use MIP pion (p=0.3-0.7GeV/c) • To scale  $\left\langle \frac{dE}{dx} \right\rangle_{MIP} = 1.0$ 

So far, checking the dependence of
 Num. of hits used for mean
 Polar angle of the track

Parameterization by fitting

# dependence

Num. of hits - Landau tail affects dE/dx when num. of hits is small
Polar angle - dE/dx from short flight path is likely to make Landau tail
Wrong tendency against the expectation??



# • Scale dE/dx using MIP pion $\left\langle \frac{dE}{dx} \right\rangle_{MIP} = 1.0$





#### concerns

Parameterization

- What kind of dependence should be checked?
- Variation of gas gain seems necessary…

## • Smearing

•5% dE/dx smearing is enough?

## Optimization

- Truncated mean
- Other methods to estimate track dE/dx?

Formulation of shower profile • Fit function:  $f(x_{l}, x_{t}) = ac \frac{(c(x - x_{l0}))^{b-1} \cdot \exp(-c(x - x_{l0})) \cdot \exp(-dx_{t})}{\Gamma(b)}$ • a, b, c, d, x<sub>10</sub>:parameters Shower max: (b-1)/c (unit: X<sub>0</sub>) • Absorption length: 1/d mm • Expected shower max of incoming electron:  $L_{\text{max}} = 1.0(\log \frac{E_0}{E_0} + 0.5) \text{ (unit: } X_0\text{) } E_0\text{: cluster energy}$ • Critical energy  $E_c$ :  $E_c = 0.021 \frac{X0}{Rm} GeV$ Radiation length: X<sub>0</sub>=3.50mm

• Moliere length: Rm=9.00mm

# • Electron type



# Energy DependenceElectron type

25 30 35 40 45 5 Showerstart/X0



#### concerns

### Good variables for lepton ID?

- Will not good for cut based selection. MVA will be good
- Can try soon

#### Checking shower shape cluster-bycluster